



CITY OF MORGAN HILL
17555 PEAK AVENUE MORGAN HILL CALIFORNIA 95037

YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

After Action
REGULAR MEETING

MARCH 15, 2001

Morgan Hill Civic Center

City Council Chambers
17555 Peak Avenue
Morgan Hill, CA 95037
(408)779-7271

Youth Advisory Committee

Chair	Jennifer Valenzuela
Vice Chair	Shweta Singh
Committee Member	Chelsea Laning
Committee Member	Leia Layus
Committee Member	Adam Yinger
Committee Member	Christopher England
Committee Member	Billy Lewis
Committee Member	Quinn Kennett
Parks & Recreation Commissioner	Rick Page

5:45 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Valenzuela

ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

Recreation Specialist Elvia Espinoza

DECLARATION OF POSTING OF AGENDA

Per Government Code 54954.2

Recreation Specialist Elvia Espinoza

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Member Valenzuela

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

None

VERBAL REPORTS

SOUTH VALLEY CIVIC THEATER

The guest speaker, Mr. Spencer gave a brief report on South Valley Theater moving into Temple Emmanuel Church, and upcoming plays.

PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

Staff Member Espinoza gave an update on the Community Center and the plan to have the school moved by the end of March, and starting in September groundbreaking for the Community Center will begin and will be completed fifteen months after.

SKATE PARK REPORT

Staff member Espinoza gave a report on the new bulletin board that was put in the skatepark to display teen activities, YAC meetings, and other.

BMX PARK REPORT

Member Valenzuela reported that the BMX subcommittee will be presenting a full report to the Parks and Recreation Commission in April.

FUNDRAISER PROJECT

Art a la carte Saturday, May 12, from 10-4p.m. at P.A. Walsh School, a day of hands-on art for children ages 5-11. YAC will sell water, soda, popcorn, ice cream, nachos and snacks.

YAC ATTACK

Members suggested that a better topic be chosen for debate. Member Layus mentioned that the fund-raising workshop was helpful and interesting. All members enjoyed the motivational speaker, they thought he was very entertaining. Member Valenzuela suggested that they should focus more on entertainment. All members agreed that they would like to attend again.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Member Lewis made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 15, 2001 meeting and it was seconded by Member Layus. Motion carried 5:0.

BUSINESS:

2. **THANK YOU LETTER TO THE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**

Recommended Action: Discuss the contents of the thank you letter and add suggestions or deletions.

This item was already discussed and taken care of at the February meeting. No further action taken.

3. **GREAT AMERICAN SKATE-OFF FUNDRAISER IDEA**

Recommended Action: Discuss the idea of having a Skate-off competition for individuals and team; what would be appropriate; select a date and time.

Motion was made by member Lewis, seconded by member England, to discuss this event further at the next meeting. The members discussed having this event in September. Motion carried 5:0.

4. **BEAR VALLEY SPRING SKIING RETREAT.**

Recommended Action: Discuss the idea of going on a fun retreat and inviting a friend to go along; select month and date. Group rate (20 or more) lift tickets cost \$27 on Saturday, boots, skies and poles are \$20, snowboard and boots are \$30 credit card deposit required.

A motion was made by member Layus, seconded by Lewis to make a deadline of March 15, 2001 to call or email staff on dates they are available. Motion carried 5:0.

5. **TASTE OF MORGAN HILL SEPTEMBER 29 & 30.**

Recommended Action: Discuss the possibility of having a professional skateboarding team come to give demonstrations at designated times on Saturday and Sunday. YAC may give tours from the downtown area to the Park.

A motion was made by member England, seconded by Laning to put this item on the agenda for further discussion. Motion carried 5:0.

6. **REVIEW THE ART PROJECT SELECTED FOR ART A LA CARTE MAY 12, 11-3PM AT P.A. WALSH SCHOOL WITH THE MOBILE RECREATION VAN.**

Recommended Action: Discuss what other projects are available and amend choice made at the last meeting if necessary. The project chosen was hat making.

All members decided on the hat making project.

7. **REVIEW THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING (APRIL 19) TO DETERMINE IF IT FALLS DURING SPRING BREAK.**

Recommended Action: Discuss the necessity of changing the date; **select** an alternate date for the April meeting.

A motion was made by member Layus, seconded by member Lewis to change the next meeting date to Thursday, April 12, 2001. Motion carried 5:0.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Art a la carte Saturday, May 12, from 10-4p.m.

Recreation Leader positions (two) open to work with Mobile Recreation Van Program the week of April 16-20th. Application deadline is March 16th.

REQUESTS FOR FUTURE ITEMS

City of Morgan Hill Police Department's Explorer Program

ADJOURNMENT to the next scheduled monthly meeting on April 12, 5:30 PM, City Hall Council Chambers.

Motion was made by Member Lewis and seconded by Member Laning to adjourn until next meeting. Motion carried 6:0.